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Sir:

Enclosed for filing is an [X] original patent application or, [] a continuation-in-part patent application, by inventor(s) William H. Connor, entitled METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONCURRENCY CONTROL IN A POLICY-BASED MANAGEMENT SYSTEM.

No. of pages in Specification: 18; No. of Claims: 26.

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